TWO HUNDRED NINETY-FOURTH ANNIVERSARY

OF THE

Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts

1638 1932

OLD SOUTH CHURCH

BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

CHURCH SERVICE

MONDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 6, 1932

Preacher of the Anniversary Sermon

Rev. ARTHUR M. ELLIS, D.D.

Writer of the Anniversary Ode

Lieut. JOSEPH A. MAHONEY

ORDER OF SERVICE

SALUTATION TO THE COLORS
TRUMPETERS

INVOCATION
REV. RAYMOND LANG

GLORIA — *Buzzi-Peccia*
CHORUS

READING OF THE SCRIPTURE
REV. RAYMOND LANG

SOPRANO SOLO—"O Divine Redeemer" — *Gounod*
MISS MARJORIE WARREN LEADBETTER

READING OF THE DEATH ROLL
BY THE ADJUTANT

(The congregation will rise)
TAPS

SOLDIER REST — *Scott*
CHORUS WITH TRUMPET OBLIGATO

PRAYER
CHAPLAIN ARTHUR M. ELLIS

LAMP IN THE WEST — *Parker*
CHORUS

SERMON
CHAPLAIN ARTHUR M. ELLIS

INFLAMMATUS FROM STABAT MATER — *Rossini*
CHORUS

ODE
LIEUT. JOSEPH A. MAHONEY

STAR SPANGLED BANNER
(The congregation will rise and sing)

BENEDICTION
CHAPLAIN ARTHUR M. ELLIS

RECESSIONAL — *McKinley*

PASSING IN REVIEW

The bugle's call to arms,
The drum's loud beat,
The tramp of marching feet,
Resound through the street,
The morning of the Ancients' natal day.

Like unto the ancient one
Who built his house upon a rock,
Which stanchly braved the tempest's wrath,
Withstood the elemental shock,

The founders of this honored band,
To surely meet the common need,
Imposed it on the constant rock
Of justice, truth and righteous deed.

And so, in strength of youth, we have
Endured for nigh three hundred years,
The stress of time and circumstance,
Of doubts, discouragements and fears.

We saw the dour Protector Cromwell
Curb the English tyrant's might;
We trudged the snows of Valley Forge,
In anguished freedom's darkest night.

We marched the streets of Boston Town,
When Frenchmen razed the old Bastile,
When Bonaparte bestrode the world
And choked mankind in grip of steel.

We bled when Lincoln stayed the lash
And loosed the shackles of the slave;
We sailed to alien shores and fought,
The rights of man to guard and save.

We must not sate ourselves with boasts
Of valorous deeds and honored past,
Lay down the halberd, furl the flag,
Nor cease to battle till the last.

So long as children cry in hunger
In a land that is full of bread,
While the weak are being plundered,
And the poor are sick with dread.

While yet exploiters stalk their prey,
Or any hand is raised to smite
The upturned face of man or maid
Who struggles upward to the light.

Then cleave we to the ancient faith,
That we may gain what we should seek,
The living of the worthy life,
The scaling of tradition's peak.

A poet says that Rome shall stand
Until the Coliseum's fall,
Long after that sad fate betides
We will muster in our ancient hall.

And the bugle's call to arms,
The drum's loud beat,
The tramp of marching feet,
Will resound in the street,
The morning of the Ancients' natal day.

"THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER"

Oh, say, can you see, by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming,
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watch'd were so gallantly streaming?
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof thro' the night that our flag was still there.

Oh, say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

On the shore dimly seen thro' the mists of the deep,
Where the foe's haughty host in dread silence reposes,
What is that which the breeze, o'er the towering steep,
As it fitfully blows, half conceals, half discloses?
Now it catches the gleam of the morning's first beam,
In full glory reflected, now shines on the stream.

'Tis the star-spangled banner; oh, long may it wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

101ST ENGINEERS BAND

Massachusetts National Guard

FRANK L. WARREN, Bandmaster

and the following artists under the direction of

MR. WILBUR E. DAVISON

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MR. A. CAMERON STEELE

MISS MARJORIE WARREN LEADBETTER, Soprano

DR. CARL McKINLEY, Organist

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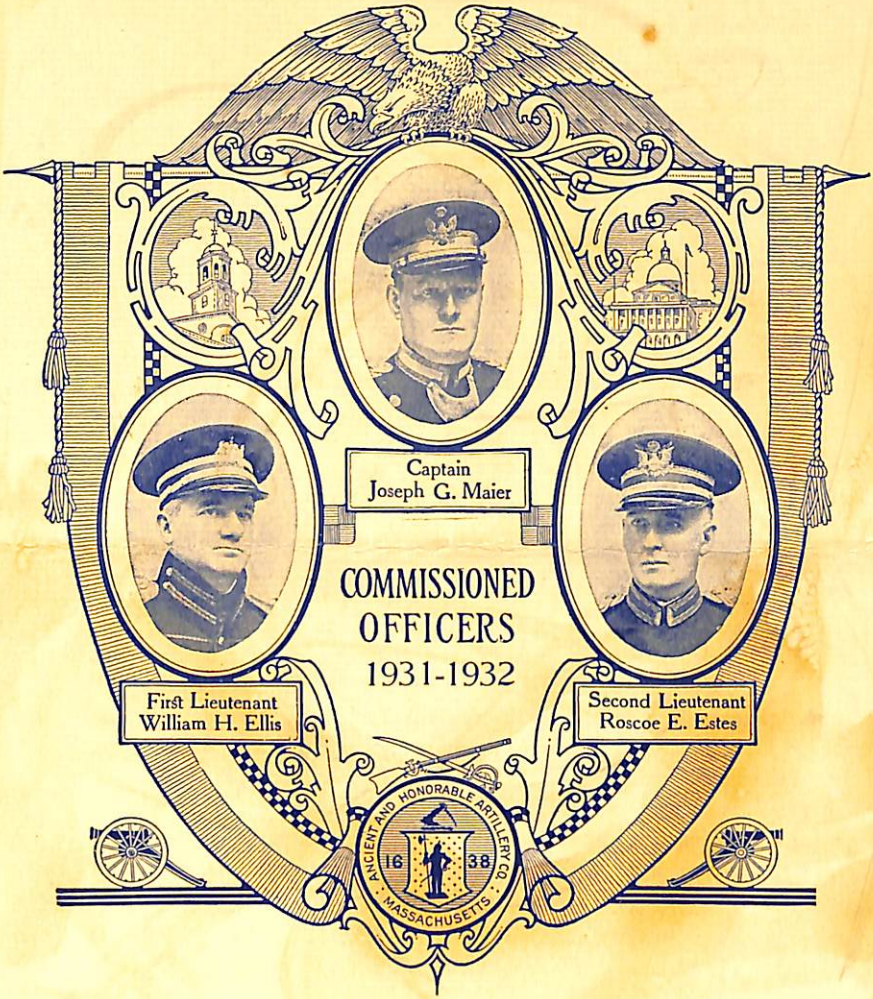

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